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For the Legislature:  
(THIRD DISTRICT OF LOUISVILLE)  
DANIEL SMITH.

SATURDAY.....JUNE 27, 1857.

What has the South lost by agitating the slavery question? In 1830, after a fierce agitation, slavery was prohibited by act of Congress in all our Territory North of 36° 30' min, before Missouri could be admitted into the Union. After long agitation, this prohibition was repealed, and the Supreme Court has decided it unconstitutional. In 1849 and '50, the Abolitionists tried to prohibit slavery in all the Territory acquired from Mexico. After a fierce agitation, they failed to accomplish their object.

The South stands to-day freed from any reprobation in the action of the Federal Government. Her equality with the North is acknowledged by Congressional action. The institutions of the South are better understood now than at any time since the Abolitionists commenced their efforts, and are less liable to be successfully assailed than at any previous period. The South has no desire to agitate the slavery question. She is anxious to be let alone in the enjoyment of equal rights with the North; but she will not decline a contest for these rights when they are assailed; and she has lost nothing in any contest yet. She will be just as untrue in her resistance, as her enemies in the assault. If new States now do not become slave States under the present policy of the Federal Government, it is not the fault of the North. If she has more population, and sends more people to our Territories, the South will not complain. Fair play is all the South ever asked. She does not desire to diminish the population or the prosperity of the North. Now, who is dissatisfied in the South? The editor of the Journal and his party. They say the South is greatly injured. Well, why don't they propose to rectify the wrong that has been done? They run out that the South is injured, and will not say a word to repair the injury. When a violent fanaticism in the authorities of the North nullify the Fugitive Slave Law, and rob individuals of the South of their rights, is she to keep silent? When the Abolitionists of the North say, "We are holier than you are, and must have all the Territories of the United States, and will take them by force," are the Southern people to be silent? When we are denounced as men-stealers and execrable tyrants, and defied and spurned, are we to take it tamely; must we long for a coalition with our enemies, that may sacrifice all our right to them, that a few political demagogues may get office and spoils? The South will consent to such policy. Why should the South decline a contest thrust upon her, and submit to an ignominious surrender? Is her cause a bad one? She cannot be defended? Does she lack the ability to defend herself in a good cause? or are the people so ignorant or corrupt that they cannot or will not appreciate the truth? or if, from any one of these causes, she fails by discussion to obtain her rights, does she lack the physical courage and power to defend them? Will any of the rascals ainst agitation tell us why the South should decline a discussion thrust upon her, unless she answers one of these questions in the affirmative, and which one will he dare so to answer?

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"The slavery agitation must be suppressed," says the organ, while the editor charges daily the Democratic party with doing more injury to the South than the Abolitionists. In this way he expects to stop the agitation of the slavery question. He denounces the repeal of the Missouri Compromise, anxious that slavery should remain prohibited in Kansas by an act of Congress. He is daily striving to make all other propositions that may be submitted by any city sending delegates, will be proper subjects for consideration.

It is further recommended that the cities have the following vote in the convention:

New York.....15 Dunkirk, N. Y. ....100  
Philadelphia.....19 Albany, N. Y. ....100  
Boston.....8 Worcester, Mass. ....100  
Wilmington, Del. ....8 Camden, N. J. ....100  
Brooklyn, N. Y. ....5 New Haven, Conn. ....100  
Pittsburgh, Pa. ....5 Allegheny, Pa. ....100  
Buffalo, N. Y. ....20 Charlestown, Mass. ....100  
Washington, D. C. ....5 Lexington, Ky. ....100  
Baltimore, Md. ....5 Reading, Pa. ....100

The objects set forth in the propositions will probably engage the serious attention of the delegates for several sessions, and, with very slight alterations, command unanimous approbation. Certainly there is urgent necessity for action on the part of the butchers of the principal cities and towns, as the price of beef is now greater than it has been for many years.

A number of the most respectable of the craft in this city declare that it is utterly impossible to compete with the products of the South at the present rates, in consequence of the high prices they are compelled to pay for stock. They state that it is entirely owing to specialists, some of whom, in New York and other cities, have already failed, solely on account of the false principle upon which they have been operating. No matter what may be the cause of the high price of beef, the public will doubtless be gratified to hear that the butchers, feeling themselves much aggrieved, will soon adopt measures calculated to redress the commodity to its real value.

In the mean time, the craft of Baltimore are making arrangements, in order to give their visiting brethren a most cordial reception. The South will not complain. Fair play is all the South ever asked. She does not desire to diminish the population or the prosperity of the North. Now, who is dissatisfied in the South? The editor of the Journal and his party. They say the South is greatly injured. Well, why don't they propose to rectify the wrong that has been done? They run out that the South is injured, and will not say a word to repair the injury. When a violent fanaticism in the authorities of the North nullify the Fugitive Slave Law, and rob individuals of the South of their rights, is she to keep silent? When the Abolitionists of the North say, "We are holier than you are, and must have all the Territories of the United States, and will take them by force," are the Southern people to be silent? When we are denounced as men-stealers and execrable tyrants, and defied and spurned, are we to take it tamely; must we long for a coalition with our enemies, that may sacrifice all our right to them, that a few political demagogues may get office and spoils? The South will consent to such policy. Why should the South decline a contest thrust upon her, and submit to an ignominious surrender? Is her cause a bad one? She cannot be defended? Does she lack the ability to defend herself in a good cause? or are the people so ignorant or corrupt that they cannot or will not appreciate the truth? or if, from any one of these causes, she fails by discussion to obtain her rights, does she lack the physical courage and power to defend them? Will any of the rascals ainst agitation tell us why the South should decline a discussion thrust upon her, unless she answers one of these questions in the affirmative, and which one will he dare so to answer?

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Mason, it seems, had charged that the Know-Nothings had unfairly aided in the election of Banks, Speaker of the last House of Representatives, voting for Fuller, the founder of the Anti-Slavery Society. For this reason he has been engaged in the Homeopathic practice in this city, and has been successful in his efforts in the treatment of diseases of children and chronic afflictions of females, in both of which he has great skill. — *Refugee, Louisville, Ky.*

RE: General Price, who figured conspicuously at the Cincinnati Convention that nominated Mr. Buchanan.—*Journal.*

Yes, he cut quite a figure. He was kicked out of the Convention neck and heels, and his colleagues along with him. He has come out for the Know-Nothing candidate for Governor of Missouri. He has now quit the Democratic party, and has our thanks for it. It is about the only good act for the party he has ever performed.

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This gentleman, without doubt, is the most eminent of Know-Nothings with whom the country has yet been favored. Mr. Jones is a gentleman of fortune, a product of the chivalrous State of South Carolina. He is perhaps the best dressed man in Kentucky. His judgment upon a ruffled shirt or the tie of a cravat, is past all cavil. His kid gloves fit with an accuracy that would have killed Beaumarchais with envy. He wears a graceful rat-tail coat, and his manners are beyond compare. Young men, let me exhort you to dispense with your accustomed glass of liquor, to throw away your cigars, for, with every curl of the wreathy smoke, you are fast puffing away your ideas, and deadening the sensibility that God has bestowed upon you. Use self-government like the great Franklin, and no longer degrade yourself by being the slave to any passion. It has often been remarked, by strangers that visit Louisville, that it is strange there are few intelligent young men in this place. Reader, do you wish me to fathom the question? But I can assure you, that the great majority of sciences ethically the cause are 'tis given. They whisper in a hissing tone gin and brandy. Yes, these two evils are the whole and sole reason that Louisville contains so few remarkable or intelligent young men. NELLY.

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## RALLY AT HEADQUARTERS.

There will be a meeting of the Democracy and Anti-Know-Nothings of the Fifth and Sixth Wards at the Democratic Headquarters, Saturday evening. A full attendance is desired as business of importance will come before the meeting.

## NOTICE.

There will be a meeting of the Democrats, Old-Line Whigs, and Anti-Know-Nothings, and all others opposed to Plug-Uglyism and Chunkism, of the county of Jefferson, at Jefferson town, on Thursday, the 2d day of July, to nominate candidates for the Legislature.

## Baebus on Salt River Road.

Remember that the Baebus will take place to-day, on the Salt River turnpike, six miles below the city. The most ample preparations have been made—the grounds prepared in excellent style, and Col's hand has been engaged for the occasion. This is gotten up in the true old Kentucky style, and should the weather favor, will be one of the most delightful gatherings of the kind that has occurred for many a day in this section. It is under the direction of a board of managers, who will see that everything is done in order. The preparations are ample for the accommodation of a large crowd. Dinner, dancing, and a good time generally, for all who can find the time to spend a few hours' at the barbecue grounds.

## Democrats of the Second District, Attention!

There will be a convention of the Democrats, Old Whigs, and Anti-Know-Nothings of the Tenth and Fourth Wards, at Denham's, corner of First and Jefferson streets, this evening. A candidate for the Legislature will be nominated, and other important business will be brought before the meeting. Let every Anti-Know-Nothing in the district endeavor to attend.

## To Correspondents.

We have frequent letters from the country, furnishing information we should be glad to avail ourselves of, but accompanying them there is no reliable name, and of consequence we cannot identify them. We have frequently urged our country friends to keep us advised of all current news transpiring in their respective localities, but have asked that, in all cases, they would furnish their names along with the correspondence, that we might be assured of its truth, and to avoid the imposition sometimes practiced upon editors by designing men.

We would thank our friends generally, throughout the West and South, for such correspondence, but we must ask that in all cases writers accompany their communications with their names.

## Another Candidate for the Legislature.

We announce with much pleasure the name of W. G. REASOR as a candidate for the lower branch of the Legislature in the First District of the city. Although the Democracy of that district have made no nomination, Mr. Reasor, formerly a decided and consistent Old Whig may be regarded now as fully identified with the Democratic party. As a Whig, Mr. Reasor represented the same district in the House of Representatives several years ago, with uniform satisfaction to his constituents. The experience of years in a liberal professional practice has served to ripen and prepare his mind for the responsible duties of legislation; and if, as every one who remembers his course will be ready to grant, his bearing was such as to gratify his constituents at a time when he was but upon the threshold of manhood, who can doubt his present availability and efficiency? As an independent candidate in the First and Second Wards, Mr. Reasor possesses every element of popularity and every natural means of success.

**II**The alarm of fire yesterday morning was occasioned by the partial burning of some out-buildings near the corner of Fourth and Broadway. The loss was trifling. The steam engine Eclipse worked finely in the occasion.

## Stammering, &c., cured in a very short time by the successful Dr. Jones, at the Gulf House, Louisville.

**III**The new Masonic Temple, at the corner of Jefferson and Fourth streets, will be dedicated early in September, during the exhibition of the National Agricultural Society, near this city. The building has the outward appearance already of a complete edifice, and the work inside is prosecuted with vigor.

**RELIGIOUS NOTICE.**—Rev. W. W. CURRY, of Oxford, Ohio, will preach in the Universalist Church to-morrow (Sunday) at 11 o'clock.

**IV**Elder Wm. Vaughan, of Bloomfield, Ky., will preach at the Walnut street Baptist Church to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock, and at 8 o'clock at night.

**V**Madden, 101 Third street, is in receipt of Harper's Weekly and the Pictorial Brother Jonathan for the current week—both excellent numbers.

**PUTNAM'S MONTHLY AND HOUSEHOLD WORDS**

Mr. A. Gunter, Third street, between us and the Post-office, has received these periodicals for July. Putnam is gotten up in better style than heretofore, and filled with choice reading matter; its illustrations are good, and quite numerous; it is much the best number we have seen. Household Words is always a favorite, and those who have enjoyed previous numbers will not fail to secure the one for July.

**VI**There was but one case before the Police Court yesterday morning—that of Edward, William, and Mary Hawthorn and Rebecca Smith, suspected felons. Certain property found in their possession was supposed to have been stolen, and the probabilities were so strongly in favor of the theft, that the whole party were sent to the Work-house.

**W**e announced yesterday morning that a steamer R. J. Ward—We are indebted to our friends, the accomplished clerks of that favorite steamer, the R. J. Ward, for paper and favors delivered yesterday.

**IX**Fifty-one males applied yesterday for admission to the Academic Department of the Louisville High School. The examinations for admission will close to-day.

**X**A grand trotting race will come off over the Queen City Course, at Cincinnati, to-day, between three crack grooms, for a purse and stakes of \$225—a mile heats, best three in five.

**XI**There is a remarkable bird at Fisher's saloon, on the south side of Speed Market, in the form of a red-breasted robin. He is as musical as the liveliest Canary, and varies his tunes altogether unlike the robin to which we are accustomed. He was taken in Indiana, and is such an object of admiration that Mr. Fisher's house has become a general resort for lawyers and other gentlemen of taste in that locality.

**XX**When we made the announcement that there would be an examination of the city school on the Point yesterday, we were not aware that all the departments would be reviewed. The grammar and secondary departments, under Messrs. Chambers and Mall, however, were examined, and the pupils did themselves and their experienced teachers much credit. The primary school, under Mr. Henry K. Roberts, is one of the best trained eclectic schools we have ever seen, and came fully up to the most sanguine expectations of its friends. Some important changes will take place in this school at the beginning of the next term. Mr. Roberts will become principal of the secondary department in the First Ward school; Mr. Chambers, at present principal of the grammar school on the Point, will also be transferred to the First Ward school, and competent teachers will be selected to fill their places.

**THEATER.**—Miss Louise was greeted with a full and delighted house at her benefit last night. Her personation of Captain Murphy Maguire was most excellent in every respect, while the Amadab Sleek of Little Master Marsh was imitable; little Mary Marsh as the Widow Delaine was perfectly bewitching—indeed, all were excellent, and everybody was pleased.

**XXI**We are to have, for the first time, the grand spectacle of the Nain Queen, in which the whole troupe of 43 children will appear. We had the pleasure of seeing some of the scenery—it is magnificent beyond description, and well worth a visit every night to enjoy its varied beauties. Secure your seats early, for there will be a crowd.

**XXII**The expense attending the Louisville Marine Hospital, in Chestnut st., during the month of May, was \$844 53. The city has paid for Contractors' fees under Dr. Bryan's administration, \$147 79; and the pay of the city police for the month of May amounted to the aggregate sum of \$2,488.

## PERSONAL.

W. H. McWillie, Esq., has been nominated by the Democracy of Mississippi as their candidate for Governor.

**XXIII**Rally at Headquarters.

There will be a meeting of the Democracy and Anti-Know-Nothings of the Fifth and Sixth Wards at the Democratic Headquarters, Saturday evening. A full attendance is desired as business of importance will come before the meeting.

## NOTICE.

There will be a meeting of the Democrats, Old-Line Whigs, and Anti-Know-Nothings, and all others opposed to Plug-Uglyism and Chunkism, of the county of Jefferson, at Jefferson town, on Thursday, the 2d day of July, to nominate candidates for the Legislature.

## Baebus on Salt River Road.

Remember that the Baebus will take place to-day, on the Salt River turnpike, six miles below the city. The most ample preparations have been made—the grounds prepared in excellent style, and Col's hand has been engaged for the occasion. This is gotten up in the true old Kentucky style, and should the weather favor, will be one of the most delightful gatherings of the kind that has occurred for many a day in this section. It is under the direction of a board of managers, who will see that everything is done in order. The preparations are ample for the accommodation of a large crowd. Dinner, dancing, and a good time generally, for all who can find the time to spend a few hours' at the barbecue grounds.

**XXIV**The Cincinnati Commercial of the 25th inst. announced that a branch of the Baltimore Plug-Ugly club had established itself in Cincinnati.

**XXV**It is doubtless intended to operate on election occasions in the Queen City of the West, and to beguile its leisure moments in a dying trip to Louisville occasionally to feast on the lives of a few more innocent women and children, and give their dwellings to the flames. We shall see.

**XXVI**Cashmere Goats in South Carolina.

**XXVII**A correspondent writing to the Boston Post from Greenville, South Carolina, says:

"I am within a few miles of the place where the experiment was made of raising tea. It has proved a failure. The plant will grow well enough, but wages are too high in this country, and we are pleased to know that he is appreciated according to his merits in his new field of practice in New York city.

**XXVIII**The Glasgow Journal notes the presence of the Mechanics' Institute, in this city. Mr. Kirk is one of the most entertaining writers and agreeable speakers in the whole range of our acquaintance, and no selection could be more acceptable or judicious.

**XXIX**We have recognized the pleasant features of our old friend, Dr. B. J. Raphael, in our streets during the past few days. Dr. R. is one of the most accomplished surgeons in this country, and we are pleased to know that he is appreciated according to his merits in his new field of practice in New York city.

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**XXXI**The Atkinson High School.

The examination of this institution for young ladies has just closed, with general satisfaction to the friends of the school. The commencement exercises were attended yesterday by a large concourse of persons, principally ladies, among whom we observed many former graduates. The compositions were very fine indeed, and the music was charming. Three young ladies retired yesterday with the highest honors of the school, viz: Miss Mary Bowman, of Baristown, Miss Bettie Garr, of Jefferson county, and Miss Lucy Elston, of the city. The honor of the valedictory was conferred upon the latter young lady, who read a graceful and pleasing address. Rev. Mr. Bottomy made some well-timed closing remarks, and the pupils separated for the summer vacation.

**XXXII**The members of the various Masonic organizations of this city are making ample arrangements to participate in the ceremonies incident to the laying of the corner-stone of the Clay Monument at Lexington, on the Fourth of July. We saw in the hands of Knight Templar Frank Tryon, yesterday, a specimen of the badge which will be worn by the members of the order of this city on that occasion. It contains a faithful likeness of the departed Sage of Ashland, fleeing mortises, &c., and is placed upon satin ribbon, appropriately colored for the different grades of Masons. It will be remembered that Mr. Clay, in his lifetime, was an ornament to the fraternity, and these attentions on the part of his living brethren will form a deserved ovation to the most memorable spirit of the past age.

**XXXIII**The Relief Fire Company have a new suction and five hundred feet of new hose immediately.

**XXXIV**FEARFUL EXPLOSION.—Some raw material in the course of preparation for a display of fire works, ignited by accident in the building 305 Main street, Cincinnati, on Thursday evening, destroying buildings and property to the amount of \$6,000, and mortally wounding Mr. James Pryor, formerly the well-known property man at the National Theater.

**XXXV**We learn from the Cincinnati Gazette of yesterday that a well-dressed and gentle lady, apparently about 17 or 18 years of age, with a child in her arms, stepped into a confectionery, opposite the Catholic church, in Covington, a few days since, and requested the master. For called upon the Government, by the birth of her infant, in full uniform, to pay their respects to him. They repaired in a body to the Executive Office in the Government palace headed by Major Brevet Sprague, Commandant of the post, where they were received by the Governor with his accustomed urbanity. After an interchange of the usual civilities of the service, each officer personally took leave of His Excellency with many expressions of kind feelings, and left for a pleasure trip home, and having stopped at the residence of one of our part of our military officers, was informed of the high appreciation in which they hold Governor Merriweather as a man and an officer, and a handsome compliment from a co-ordinate arm, one of the public service. The occasion was of interest, and the mutual congratulations heartfelt.

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**XXXVIII**Watches, Jewelry, ETC.—J. R. Estelle is offering his entire stock of watches, jewelry, and fancy goods below cost price for the purpose of closing out his stock. Those who want excellent time pieces, fine jewelry, and fancy goods of every variety at very low prices, had better call at his store, No. 57 Fourth street. j21 d&w

**XXXIX**We invite the attention of our readers to the very rich jewelry and watches of the Messrs. F. Eisele & Co., on Fourth street, under National Hotel, which they are offering at cost for the purpose of closing out their business in Louisville. Now is a very rare chance to purchase fine jewelry and watches. It will be seen from their card that they request an early attention of persons owing them to their accounts. j21 d&w

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